

DENTISTRY EXAMINING BOARD
REGULAR MEETING
NOVEMBER 1, 2000

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mark Curran, DDS; Nanette Kosydar Dreves, RDH; Wilbur Gill, DDS; Bruce Barrette, DDS; Richard Strand, DDS; Bruce Trimble, DDS; David Carroll, RDH; Beth Jacko-Clemence, RDH; Judith Ficks

MEMBER EXCUSED: Cynthia Riffle, DDS

LEGAL COUNSEL: Jacquelynn Rothstein

STAFF PRESENT: Patrick D. Braatz, Karen Rude-Evans

GUESTS: Cathy Schleis; Tim Kinzel, WDA; Cindi Due and Leslie Lord, WDHA

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Mark Curran called the meeting to order at 8:33 a.m.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Amendments: -Support Delinquency Program
-Special Committee on Dental Care Access
-Gateway Technical Accreditation Visit
-Appearance by James Blong, DDS
-Review request to take CRDTS for a fourth time

MOTION: Bruce Barrette moved, seconded by David Carroll, to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 6, 2000

Corrections: -On page 3, under CORRESPONDENCE RELATING TO FLUORIDE VARNISH..., change the motion to read, "...FDA approved for this purpose in the United States."
-On page 3, under CRDTS UPDATE, delete the sentence and replace with, "Cynthia Riffle reported that there was a water main break in Kansas City during the examination. Due to this inconvenience, the examinees were given the opportunity to retest, at no charge, at Northwestern. Only one candidate failed the exam given at Northwestern."

MOTION: David Carroll moved, seconded by Beth Jacko-Clemence, to approve the Minutes of September 6, 2000 as corrected. Motion carried unanimously.

SECRETARY CUMMINGS

Secretary Cummings addressed the Board's concerns about disciplinary cases that appear to not move forward in a timely manner. Secretary Cummings has reviewed cases with DOE, and efforts are being made to bring cases to their appropriate conclusions.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSED STIPULATIONS

LAWRENCE STEWART DAVIS, DDS

Attorney Jim Harris presented a proposed stipulation in the matter concerning Lawrence Stewart Davis, DDS. This matter will be deliberated on in closed session.

LAURA J WIMMER, RDH

Attorney Steve Gloe presented a proposed stipulation in the matter concerning Laura J. Wimmer, RDH. This matter will be deliberated on in closed session.

REPORTS ON PENDING COURT CASES, DISCIPLINARY CASES AND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

These reports were informational.

STANDARDS FOR APPROVAL OF DRUG TESTING PROGRAMS

LeeAnn Cooper explained to the standards for approving drug testing programs. These standards will be utilized for all future orders requiring drug screening.

CRDTS UPDATE

Richard Strand reported he attended the American Association of Dental Examiners (AADE) conference in Chicago. Cynthia Riffle was elected AADE third vice president. Several states still administer their own exams, but the AADE is moving towards a national standard.

AADE REPORT ON NPDB EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

This item was informational.

MOTION: Bruce Barrette moved, seconded by Wilbur Gill, to write to Representative Bliley indicating the Board's opposition to this legislation, as the National Practitioners Data Bank was never intended to be used as a rating system for practitioners. A copy of this letter is to be sent to the Wisconsin delegation. Motion carried unanimously.

SUPPORT DELINQUENCY PROGRAM

MOTION: Nanette Kosydar Dreves moved, seconded by Judith Ficks, to authorize Patrick Braatz, or in his absence, the Deputy Secretary, to sign notices sent to individuals who have been certified to DRL by DWD as being delinquent in support or non-compliant with subpoenas or warrants. Motion carried unanimously.

REGULATORY DIGEST UPDATE

The Regulatory Digest is being labeled and hopefully will be mailed soon.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON DENTAL CARE ACCESS

Jacquelynn Rothstein reported on the recent meeting of the Special Committee on Dental Care Access. The Committee is particularly concerned with access for medicaid patients, extended care facility patients and the elderly.

ADA REQUEST FOR PARTICIPATION IN ACCREDITATION VISIT TO GATEWAY TECHNICAL COLLEGE DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM

The ADA accreditation visit to Gateway Technical College Dental Hygiene program in Kenosha will be September 13-14, 2001.

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Richard Strand moved, seconded by Nanette Kosydar Dreves, to allow Cathy Schleis to sit in on closed session, even though she is not allowed to vote. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Judith Ficks moved, seconded by Nanette Kosydar Dreves, to recess to closed session pursuant to Chapter 19.85(1)(a), (b), (f) and (g), Wis. Stats., for the purpose of a personal appearance and request for four-month stay of suspension, reviewing an application for re-registration, deliberation of proposed stipulations, considering requests for stays of suspensions and changes in board orders, considering a request for full licensure, considering an administrative warning, reviewing case status reports, meeting with the Division of Enforcement and consulting with legal counsel. Roll call vote: Mark Curran – yes, Nanette Kosydar Dreves – yes, Beth Jacko-Clemence – yes, Wilbur Gill – yes, Bruce Barrette- yes, Bruce Trimble – yes, David Carroll – yes, Richard Strand - yes. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session recessed at 10:24 a.m.

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

MOTION: Beth Jacko-Clemence moved, seconded by Nanette Kosydar Dreves, to reconvene in open session. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session reconvened at 1:11 p.m.

VOTING ON ITEMS CONSIDERED/DELIBERATED ON IN CLOSED SESSION

PERSONAL APPEARANCE/REQUEST FOR STAY OF SUSPENSION

JAMES BLONG, DDS

MOTION: Judith Ficks moved, seconded by Richard Strand, to grant a four-month stay of suspension to James Blong, DDS. Motion carried unanimously.

RE-REGISTRATION APPLICATION

KAREN D LARSON, RDH

MOTION: Bruce Trimble moved, seconded by Judith Ficks, to approve the re-registration application of Karen D. Larson, RDH. Motion carried unanimously.

STAYS OF SUSPENSION/CHANGES IN BOARD ORDERS

CRAIG MOON, DDS

MOTION: Bruce Trimble moved, seconded by Beth Jacko-Clemence, to grant a four-month stay of suspension to Craig Moon, DDS, with the following modifications to the Order: 1) All urine screen donations are to occur at PRN or a location submitted to the Department monitor, and approved by the Board designee, and 2) Craig Moon shall not have possession, custody or control of any urine samples after donation. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Bruce Barrette moved, seconded by Beth Jacko-Clemence, to request Dr. Charles Engel, of PRN, to appear at the January Board meeting to discuss procedures for drug screens. Motion carried unanimously.

BRIAN BLOCHER, DDS

MOTION: Beth Jacko-Clemence moved, seconded by Nanette Kosydar Dreves, to grant a three-month stay of suspension to Brian Blocher, DDS. Motion carried unanimously.

LEON CUMMINGS, DDS

MOTION: Judith Ficks moved, seconded by Beth Jacko-Clemence, to grant a three-month stay of suspension to Leon Cummings, DDS. Motion carried unanimously.

JERRY GRAGG, DDS

MOTION: Bruce Barrette moved, seconded by Richard Strand, to grant a three-month stay of suspension to Jerry Gragg, DDS. Motion carried unanimously.

MICHAEL MICIKALSKI, DDS

MOTION: David Carroll moved, seconded by Nanette Kosydar Dreves, to grant a four-month stay of suspension to Michael Micikalski, DDS. Motion carried unanimously.

REQUEST FOR FULL LICENSURE

KENNETH LEUDTKE, DDS

MOTION: Bruce Trimble moved, seconded by Richard Strand, to remove the limitation and grant full licensure to Kenneth Leudtke, DDS. Motion carried unanimously.

PROPOSED STIPULATIONS

LAURA J WIMMER, RDH

Case advisor Judith Ficks was absent during deliberation and voting.

MOTION: Wilbur Gill moved, seconded by Beth Jacko-Clemence, to adopt the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order in the matter concerning Laura J. Wimmer, RDH. Motion carried.

LAWRENCE STEWART DAVIS, DDS

Case advisor Judith Ficks was absent during deliberation and voting.

MOTION: David Carroll moved, seconded by Wilbur Gill, to adopt the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order in the matter concerning Lawrence Stewart Davis, DDS. Motion carried.

REQUEST TO TAKE CRDTS A FOURTH TIME

D'ANN M CARLSON

MOTION: Beth Jacko-Clemence moved, seconded by Wilbur Gill, to approve the 3-credit course for remediation chosen by D'Ann M. Carlson. The course instructor must send a progress report on Ms. Carlson at the middle of the course, and upon completion of the course and notification to the Board that she has passed, Ms. Carlson may take the CRDTS exam a fourth time. Bruce Trimble – no. Motion carried.

CASE STATUS REPORT

MOTION: Wilbur Gill moved, seconded by Beth Jacko-Clemence, to close complaint **00 DEN 052** for no violation. Case advisor Judith Ficks was absent during deliberation and voting. Motion carried.

MOTION: Nanette Kosydar Dreves moved, seconded by Beth Jacko-Clemence, to close complaint **99 DEN 017** for prosecutorial discretion with compliance gained. Bruce Barrette – no. Case advisor David Carroll abstained. Motion carried.

MOTION: Judith Ficks move, seconded by David Carroll, to close complaint **00 DEN 051** for no violation. Case advisor Mark Curran abstained. Motion carried.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

These items were noted and reviewed.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: David Carroll moved, seconded by Bruce Trimble, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 1:24 p.m.

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